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Hongkong, June 11, 1886. NOTIOE.

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1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2. Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Hank having

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ming of July.

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Hongkong and China.

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NAVIGATION COMPANY.

R. E. L. WOODIN will assume CHARGE of this Company's BUSI-NESS at this Agency, during my Absence

from Hongkong.

A. McIVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, June 3, 1886.

Intimations.

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> THE Company will receive STRAMERS and SAILING VESSELS alongside their Wharves at Kowloon, and Land, Re-ship, Bud/or Store GENERAL CARGOES, SILK, OPIUM, COTTON, GRAIN OF MERCHANDISE III First-Class Granite Godowns at Cheap Rates. Also Coats in specially constructed Sheds. For the convenience of Commanders and Storers the Company's launch Hongkong will convey to and fro those interested FREE or CHARGE, starting from the Pedder's Wharf EVERY HOUR from 6 a.m. to 5 p.m., and from the Wharf at Kowloon at the half-

For further Particulars, apply to W. KERFOOT HUGHES, Agent, Pedder's Street.

331 friends in the United Kingdom, free of any charge whatever on the home side, at Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

FIFTH AND FINAL DRAWING.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

ATOTICE is hereby given that, in conformity with the Conditions under which the DEBENTURES of the above Company were issued, the following Numbers of Debentures to be Paid off in Hongkong on the 30th day of June instant, when the INTEREST thereon will cease to be payable, were on this 4th day of June instant DRAWN at the Office of Messieurs JARDINE, MATHE. son and Company, the General Agents of the Company, in the presence of the Undersigned Notary.

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132	320	458	574
133	325	461	575
147	327	404	581
151	329	471	-588
152	331	472	590
154	336	473	594

The above DEPENTURES will be Paid at

the OFFICE of the Undersigned General

Agents on and after the 30th June instant. For the CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY. LIMITED. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. Countersigned. VICTOR H. DEACON. Notary Public. HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 4th June, 1886.

NOTICE.

N and after 1st July Next, the COST of STAMPS on all DRAFTS Issued 8100 or more at their credit may at by the Undersigned BANKS will have to Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor- For the 'Chartered Mercantile Bank' of

JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong. annum will be allowed to depositors on For the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China,

T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong, For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Ocrporation, JOHN WALTER.

Acting Chief Manager. the beginning of January and begin. For the Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris, For the New Oriental Bank Corporation

Limited H. A. HERBERT Manager, Hongkong, Hongkong, June 9, 1886.

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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1886. Business Notices.



TESSES. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have the pleasure to inform the Community of Hongkong and neighbouring Ports that they have made arrangements in Foothow for a SUPPLY of their MIXTURE of the CHOICEST NEW TEAS.

CUMSHAW MIXTURE,

which in the course of many years, has acquired a describedly high reputation, as evidenced by the large demand for use here, the appreciation shewn by friends at home to whom it has been sent, and the numerous Orders received for it from old Hongkong Residents in the Colonies and elsewhere. Mesers. Lane, Chawford & Co. undertake to deliver this acceptable present to

Per 10-catty Box - - - \$12.00. Per 5-catty Box - - - \$ 7.50. Orders are solicited for this CHOICE TEA, which will be forwarded by First

This TEA can also be sent to America and the United States, at current rates, Colonial Secretary's Office. which can be obtained on application: Hongkong, June 10, 1886.

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THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much en-

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The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD

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Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885. The state of the state of the state of the state of

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters, QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

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Cholera BELTS.

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Hongkong, May 25, 1886

HAVE JUST RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING

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les Alpes. CHARLES TABARAUD-L. Lecon D'Amour. FELICIEN CHAMPSAUR—Le Cerveau de Paris. GERALD-Tout Près d'Une Faute. EDGAR MONTEIL—La Bande des Copurchies. Marie Colombier—On En Meurt, LEOPOLD STAPLEAUX—La Fe_amedu Depute. EMILE ZOLA-L'Œuvre.

PRINCE LUBOMIRSKI—Tzar Archiduchesse et Burgraves. ALEXIS BOUVIER—L'Armée du Crime. CHARLES MAYET-Lo Dernier Caprice.

Louis Ulbach-Papa Fortin.

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BOOTS and SHOES.

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Hongkong, June 12, 1886.

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W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, June 16, 1886.

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Notices to Consignees.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COM-PANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 12th until the 28th Instant, both days inclusive. HENRY R. H. MARTIN

Intimations.

Manager. Hongkong, June 11, 1886. HONGKONG HOTEL ROTISSERIE

TN connection with the Honokona Hotel the above is NOW OPEN from 7 a.m. to midnight. REFRESHMENTS of every description

SUPPLIED, either How or Cold. ICE CREAMS will be Ready from Noon every LIST OF CHARGES will be found in the Rotisserie, next door to Mr. Brewen's Book

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LOUIS HAUSCHILD, Secretary. HONGKONG HOTEL Co., LIMITED. Hongkong, June 4, 1886.

Auctions.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

THE following Particulars of SALE CROWN LAND by Public Auction, to be held on the Spot on MONDAY, the 21st day of June, 1886, at 4 p.m. are published for general information. By Command,

> FREDERICK STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary. Hongkong, 22nd May, 1886.

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 21st day of June, 1886, at 4 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government of 2 Lots of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 999 years.

Particulars of the Lots.

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For Sale. FOR SALE.

TULES MUMM CHAMPAGNE, Quarts......\$20 per Case of 1 doz.

Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS AND WHITE WINES. Baxter's Colebrated Barley Bree

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THIS desirable RESIDENCE is situated on one of the very best positions on the whole hill-side, and there is Room for addi-The House is very strongly built—partly

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Possession may be had by arrangementand the Furniture if desired may be taken at a valuation. Two-thirds of the Purchase Money may remain on Mortgage at 7 %. For further Particulars, apply to

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hougkong, May 18, 1886.

To Let. TO LET.

THE HOUSE in CASTLE ROAD No. 1 Apply to the SPANISH PROCUEATION, No. 14, Caine Road. Terms moderate. Possession on the first of the month. Hongkong, February 6, 1886.

DOOMS in 'COLLEGE CHAMBERS.' No. 7. SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 4. OLD BAILY STREET. Apply to DAVID SASSOON. SONS & Co.

TO LET.

Hongkong, June 14, 1886. RICHMOND TERRACE, TO BE LET-FURNISHED.

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UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Euphrates, Captain Mitchell, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are heroby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongaide.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to JAPAN, unless notice to the contrary be given before 5 p.m. To-DAY, the 12th Inst. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 22nd Instant, or they will not be re-

cognised.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 12, 1886. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Japan having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees risk

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be effected. Consignees are hereby informed that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 21st Instant. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

Hongkong, June 15, 1886.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex Ava. AFP (in paralg.), 5112/5113=2 cases Scap, consigned to Order, from London G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, June 4, 1886.

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Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, SINGAPORE AND BANGKOK.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. The Company's Steamer Captain P. H. Lors, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 18th Instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Agents.

Hongkong, June 16, 1886 STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. (With option of calling at COLOMBO should inducement offer.)

Steamship

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will leave for the above Steamship places on FRIDAY, 18th June, at 2.30 p.m., instead of as previously advertised.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s

E. L. WOODIN, Acting Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, June 9, 1886. - 1138 THE BEN LINE OF STEAMERS.

The Steamship Capt. FARQUEAR, will be despatched as above at p.m. on FRIDAY, the 18th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

FOR SHANGHAL

Agents. Hongkong, June 16, 1886. UHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR POFT DARWIN, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, &c. The Steamship Soochow.

Captain Harris, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 19th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, June 7, 1886. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA (DIRECT.) Tae Co,'s Steamahip Esmeralda. Capt. G. TAYLER, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 19th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, June 16, 1886.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Shipping.

Steamers. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VLA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain Brezer, will be despatched as above on ATURDAY, the 19th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, June 11, 1886.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG.

The Steamship Pembrokeshire. B. P. WILKINS, Com-mander, will be despatched for the above Port on 20th Instant. This Steamer has excellent Passenger

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Agents: Hongkong, June 10, 1886. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-HWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship

The Co.'s Steamship
Glaucus,
Captain Hannan, will be
despatched as above on SUNDAY, the 20th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents.

Hongkong, June 14, 1886. FOR NAGASAKI AND YOKOHAMA. (With liberty to call at KOBE.) The Steamship Strathleven. C. W. PEARSON, Com-mander, will be despatch-

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

ed for the above Ports on or about SUN-DAY, the 20th June. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Steamship Captain T. S. GARDNER, will be despatched for the

above Ports on TUESDAY, the 22nd Inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co... Agents.

Hongkong, June 15, 1886.

FOR SINGAPORE, ADEN. HAVRE AND HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship Capt. F. Naget, will be despatched for the above

Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd Inst., For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 14, 1886. 1157

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ITALIANA FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO. BOMBAY, ADEN, PORT SAID,

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The Col's Steamship will be despatched as above on or about the To be followed by the Steamer Manilla on or about the 3rd August. The Steamers have splendid Accommodation for Passengers and carry a Doctor

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For further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 8, 1886.

__ Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/8 L.1.1 American Ship FROST, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hougkong, June 2, 1886. 1080

FOR HONOLULU. The Hawaiian Brig J. PHILLIPS, Master, will meet with quick despatch for the

above Port. For Breight or Passage, apply to WIELEH & Co.,

Hongkong, May 3, 1886. FOR NEW YORK The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship Henry S. Sanford.

PENDLETON, Master will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, June 15, 1886.

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The Co.'s Steamship Capt. Hurchison, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 18th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, June 17, 1886. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Chartered Steamship

Carisbrooke. Captain Cass. will despatched for the above Ports on SUN-DAY, the 20th Instant, at 9 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, June 17, 1886. UNION LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship Capt. MARSHALL, will be Port on FRIDAY, the 25th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, June 17, 1886.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc tions to Sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY,

the 24th June, 1886, at 2 p.m., at the Residence of S. M. Scuppur, Esq., No. 49, Wyndham Street,-

THE WHOLE OF HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. comprising:--

CRETONIE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, BLACKWOOD MARBLE-TOP TABLES, Ohina Sugar Company, Limited MIRRORS, PICTURES, CARPERS, EXTENSION Hongkong Ice Company, Limited ... DINING-ROOM TABLE, SIDEBOARD, WHAT- Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld. ... NOTS, CUTLERY, GLASS, CROCKERY and Luzon Sugar Company, Limited PLATED WARE, &C. ROBE, CURTAINS, SHANGHAI BATH, &C., &C.

A FIRE TRICHORD COTTAGE PIANO, by KAPB, quite new. The above will be on view on Thursday Morning next, and Catalogues will be issued. TREMS OF SALE -As customery.

G. B. LAMMERT Auctionest. Hongkong, June 17, 1886.

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

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2 children, Lieut.-Col. G. C. Murray, Rev.

Arnold, Miss L. Arnold, Commander H.

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and 150 Chinese.

The British steamer Creates reports : Had fine weather. The American barque G. C. Tobey reports: Light baffling winds and calms throughout the voyage. On June 14th, heavy gale from

N.E. with confused sea. MHE Undersigned has received instruc-The British steamer Ningpo reports First part strong variable winds to Heishan; thence to Namki strong N.E. wind and sea, with rain. All appearance of bad weather put into Bulloch harbour for shelter. On 14th, barometer 29-68, at 8 a.m. On 15th weighed and proceeded to port; light variable winds and fine weather.

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For SHANGHAL — Per Fushun, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 18th inst. Per Benledi, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 18th inst.

For HAIPHONG.— Per Alwine, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the G. W. Pendleton.-Adamson, Bell & Co. 18th inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Thibet, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, the 19th inst., instead of as previously

notified. For MANILA. -Per Esmeralda, at 4.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 19th inst. For SAIGON .-

Per Plainmeller, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 19th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO Per Carisbrooke, at 8.30 a.m., on Sunday, the 20th inst.

FOR STRAITS AND CALCUTTA -Per Japan, at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 22nd inst.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-The French Contract Packet Djemnah will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 24th June, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India (via Madras), the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape,

Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

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General Memoranda.

Mrs Beaumont, Mr Nicolle, and 271 Chi-SATURDAY, June 19 :-2 p.m.—Auction of Japanese Ware, &c., at Mr J. M. Armstrong's. MONDAY, June 21:-

4 p.m.-Auction of Crown Land on the Claims against the Japan must be made on or before this date.

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MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping. Noon. - Mongkut leaves for Swatow, dec. Noon. - Orestes leaves for Shanghai, &c.

2.30 p.m.—Khiva leaves for B'bay, &c. 4 p.m. -Benicdi leaves for Shanghai. Amusements.

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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JUNE 17, 1886. LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SUEZ CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Compton, May 4; Ulysses, Elektra, Saghalien, 28; Glenfruin, June 1; Achilles, 4; Anchises, Ava, Pandora, 11; Bengloe, Glenartney, Priam. Prinz George, 15. HOMEWARD BOUND : -- Moray, June

Glenogle, 11; Kaisow, 15. The P. M. Co.'s steamer City of Peking left Yokohama on Saturday, the 12th inst., at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 18th

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Glaucus, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 18th inst., and may be expected here on or | day next. about the 19th inst. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Stentor left

Perim on the 13th instant, and is du here on the 1st proximo. The Glen Line steamer Glenlyon, from London, left Singapore on the 16th inst. and may be expected here about the 22nd instant.

THE Criminal Sessions will be held on Monday next.

THE steamer Bei nice, from China, arrived at her destination on the 11th June. On our fourth page will be found an article

regarding the preparations of the Ulster

men for war. THE M. M. Co.'s steamer Natal, which was despatched from here with the French mail on the 13th ulto, arrived at Marseilles on

THE Maharajah Dhuleep Singh has been ordered to right about face. On the 4th June, he left Aden for Europe, no doubt tactics. Some fears are entertained in cermuch against his will.

the loth inst.

Messes Jardine, Matheson & Co. inform us that the Glen Line steamship Genlyon, yesterday, the 16th instant.

missary General of Ordnance, and Senior afternoon in the Robilla for home.

the General certainly descended one of hard labour. They ought to be able to always a fine man, but the Phytain beyond

COLONEL Ellis, R.A., and Colonel Barker, such cales; and although we believe the R.E., the officers who were appointed to local Executive, all the officials, and the inspect the fortifications of Hongkong, will large majority of residents (native as well leave here on Saturday in the Thibet for as European) share this opinion and re-Japan. We believe they recommend large commend its adoption, the Home Goand expensive additions to the fortifica-

WE believe that the British gunboat Midge will shortly proceed North to relieve the sloop Albatross, which will come on to Hongkong. On the arrival of the latter here, we understand, a further inquiry will be held into the accidental firing of a Nordenfeldt gun and the killing of two men Port Hamilton on the 18th March last.

Ir is not in many places in the globe that there is a lack of lawyers. But apparently there is a dearth at present in Hongkong, for the agent for the defence of the alleged Triad Society men, Mr Wilson, had to inform the Capt. Superintendent of Police (who had a seat on the bench in the Police Court to-day) that on account of Mr Cald well, the agent on the opposite side, having engaged all the available barristers, he was afraid his clients would be undefended at the Supreme Court.

MR W. H. Phillips writes to us

for mining operations in this Colony. I came out here nearly 2 years ago to work under Mr Candler's directions, and am doing so now, and I regret it is in this person's power to utilize his pen in injuring a gentleman whom I am proud to serve

BUSINESS at the Police Court is very brish at present. The recent riots have brought some 40 men into the hands of the authorities; and what with the never-ending rendition case, and an almost as lengthy per jury case the two acting magistrates find difficult to get through their work. much is this the case that Capt. Deane, when it was found difficult to get a day for hearing the adjourned case of the detective Afan, accused of being a head of the Tried Society, suggested that a couple of J. P.'s should be got to go on with the routine work and leave the magistrates to deal with the rioters. And should the cross-examining be conducted so minutely, by the defence, as perhaps it is but justice it should be, probably such a course will be forced upon the authorities.

A coolie named Chan A Tsoi, was charged at the Police Court this afternoon before | duce during 1886 about seven millions more Mr Mitchell Innes with stealing a rug, 848 value 85, the property of Mr C. C. Cohen, on the 15th inst. Lau Atak, a chair coolie to Mr Cohen, said he saw defendant running with the rug towards West Point. fokhi of Mr Cohen's said he saw defende going towards Hospital Road with the ruz in his hand. Liu Atak and he arrested the accused and beat him. A painter working for Mr Cohen said he saw accused on the first floor of the house and saw him take the rug and walk out. He pointed earthquake was felt on Sandalwood Island. out the man to the chair coolies and they The shocks were so forcible and followed pursued and caught him. In his defence the accused said that the fokhi owed him \$2 and asked him to go to Mr Cohen's house. When he went the fokhi said he had to and fro that it took about half an hour no money. Liu Atak then took the rug for them to become still. The inmates of from the door and gave it to him and told him to pawn it and give him the pawn- owing to the undulating movement of the ticket. A pretty long catalogue of pre- earth. The shaking of the ground lasted vious convictions was brought against accused, who was committed for trial at the Criminal Sessions, which are to be on Mon-

throughout the Colony has to-day attracted the very general attention of the native community. There can be little doubt that the decisive action of the Government has had a very marked effect upon all classes of the native population. The well-to-do approve, because they know that such proceedings are the surest mode of preserving order among the turbulent members of the lawless associations at which the official proclamation sims. Those poorer people who may have been wavering, and wondering whether the Government did or did to portions of their machinery at Singapore. not mean to support law and order and The Battaka are also up and have taken to protect them from the daring assumptions and squeezes of the Triads, have been reassured. And we may also hope that of the Malay inhabitants who cannot be those who may have become members of the Secret Association, willingly or other- proved sufficient to paralyse all their wire, will now hexitate before they attempt | shergies. to carry on any further their law-defying tain quarters that the Triad folks may at-Lieur.-Col. G. C. Murray, Assistant Com- occurrence will furnish further reasons for THE report which appeared to the effect dealing with returned deportees as it cught an accident at the Firemen's Exhibition | Colony, as he frequently does a few days at the Royal Aquarium, is contradicted. after he is sent away, the authorities have Among many hundreds of other visitors no power to do other than give him a year a way from Hongkong to London. He was the General certainly descended one of hard iscour. I ney origin to the fire escapes, but no socident happened flog my one who retirns after department. his los use been cent, as a Colonial Governor, the fire escapes, but no socident happened flog my one who retirns after department. his los use been cent, as a Colonial Governor. to him or any one size.

vernment have to be consulted before this wholesome punishment can be passed into law. However, it may have to come into law sooner than is supposed.

It is manifest that this vigorous action

now taken by the Government has not come

a moment too soon, as all the evidence that is being collected goes to show that Hongkong was being honey-combed by secret societies, which at any moment might have become dangerous to the peace of the Colony. We do not know what may be done with the forty men who are now in custody. A number of them, it may be necessary to put at a safe distance from Bongkong for some years to come, but this sione will not do, for such societies will reappear again with new names and new chiefs; and if the lukongs, who know best about their working, favour their growth, as the evidence given at the Police Court today seemed to show, the threatening disturbance of last week may soon be repeated. It would seem that a thorough weeding out of all suspected lukongs is a sine qua non of a thorough suppression is the hidden organisations that seek to defeat the ends of jus-Mr T. I. Bowler, of this Colony, is appa- tice. It is certainly a dangerous thing to rently trying all in his power to injure Mr have as a detector of crime a man who has, T. E. Candler, M.E.F.G.S.M., I.M.M.E., as Li Afan had, in his possession plans of by bringing my name into a false position the forts of China and was the head-centre as the person to whom credit is due of a band who were the instigators of the very crimes he was supposed to detect. In this detective's possession, besides the books, chops and accounts of the Society, were found a draft scheme of the Society, and papers, which would cost him his head without much ceremony in China. The readiness also with which he got 100 men at his command to execute his threat shows the power which such a man, if unchecked, might acquire. It is to be hoped that the cases that are now being tried at the Police Court will bring something to light with regard to the workings of the Societies, and that the Government will not rest till they have them completely under control

It is reported that the Chinese are surveying for a land line to connect Fusan with Soul, to be constructed during the course of the present year.

THE Sheh Pao says During the third moun (chi), there were 1,480 passengers to Sue-ke-chwang and 1,527 to Tang-shan, and 145 packages of merchandize. Besides the foregoing there were 12,462 tons of coal and coke transported by rail from Kaiping. There are 84 waggons on the line, each of which carries six tons.

Nor only is Ceylon, increasing her tea yield rapidly, but India, as will be seen by the circular of the Calcutta Chamber of commerce published elsewhere, is going to proof tes than she did in 1886. It can bardly be wondered that prices should fall under these circumstances, and the necessity for pushing Indian and Cevion tess at the cost of the China article is becoming more and more apparent. It is some little satisfaction to see that Java is not increasing her ont conturn, though, from what a corresponthe failure of the coffee and sugar industries in Java, the planters of these products may be induced to turn to tes cultivation as an alternative. -- Ceylon Times.

On the night of the 14th April, a severe one another so quickly that it seemed as if somebody of gigantic atrength was moving the houses about, which, in consequence, cracked and strained to the utmost. The hanging lamps therein awayed so violently the houses, on fleeing to safer quarters, could only make their way with difficulty about four minutes, and recurred a few hours afterwards. The motion was horizontal from E.S.E. to W.N.W. Terror was general among the people who sought safety by formaking their houses. Many were so panie atricken as to set about crying out, or beating gongs as if to conjure THE proclamation in Chinese posted up the earthquake. Nothing of the kind had happened there before within the last 20 . years. -Straits Times.

DELI advices to the 5th June to hand report an invasion of Langkat by Achinese bands, which has been so far successful that, on the let June, an estate belonging to the Shanghai Sumatra Company was ransacked y them after an engagement with the miltery stationed there, of whom two were killed and seven wounded. One European Assistant was killed and another wounded. Reinforcements were hastening to the seat of disturbance. Communication by sea in the invaded districts is impracticable from the three steam launches which used to ply on the coast being laid up awaiting repairs fire-raising on several estates. The situaion is the more critical from the lack of available troops and the intrustworthiness relied upon to make head against the Achinese, the mere approach of whom was

Sin George Bowen is receiving considerable attention from the home papers :--

Bays the European Mail :- Bir George tempt a last disturbance, in order to prove F. Bowen, Governor of Hongkong, and their independence of these repressive successively Governor of Queensland, New measures. We do not think that this is at Zealand, and Victoria, is once more smongst us. His Kroellency certainly looks from London, left Singapore for this Port all likely; but if any further demonstrations as if the climate of Hongkong agreed with do occur, it is hoped that, while they will him, though it must be remembered that be firmly put down by the authorities, their he has been traveling for some time in India, and the sea voyage, of course, would tall in his favour. It is sunounced that he even more decisive action than any that has come home on a year's leave of absence. This is the official way of putting it, Store Officer to Hongkong, left here this has yet been taken. To deport the ring- but seeing that he was appointed to Hongleaders is so far satisfactory ; but the law is kong in 1882 and has nearly served his not at present so stringent in the matter of term, it is extremely doubtful, washould think whether he will return to that Eastern Colony. Lady Bowen and tabelly we that General Brine had at Home met with to be. When a deportee returns to the may add, have been in England for some time past.
The Paris correspondent of Truck tays

Sir Goorge Bowen torned up the on his

be expected he should. At Hongkong there loudly. were sometimes four French Admirals at expital and delightful fellows. Sir Goorgo's ing singing of an arm and rondo from La lirst came and who had come to get with which and how many of these countries there will be but a minimum excess: hair and toard are snow-white; but he is, if it be permissible to apply such epithets to a man of his great distinction, hale and hearty, and seems to have lost none of his vitality in the hot climates of Hougkong and the Mouritins.

The Tea Steamers Race.

The steamer Glenog'e, with the first cargo the new season's tens from Hankow, passed through the Sucz Canal or about the 11th instant: and the Kaisow which left Hankow at the same time as the Glen boat, is stated to have passed through about the 15th instant. The Glenogle left Singapore 14h hours ahead of the Kaisow. The Captain of the Glen liner is reported to have said that he would be home a week ahead of the Kaisow. Nous verrone.

M. REMENYIS CONCERT. Last night, M. Remonyi, the famous Hungarian violinist, whose great reputation had preceded him, made his first appearance before a Hongkong audience. Owing the Kwong Tai Soi Boarding-house at partly to the fact that last night was 'mail Cheung San Street, East. About 8 a.m. amount of scepticism as to the ability of the artist, and to a change in the ordinary prices, the number of those present was I went from Chung Sau East to the Praya. much less than might have been anticipat- There I engaged a sampan and we went off ed. As it was, however, the house was together to the steamer. I helped to take fairly well filled below, and a few seats in his things a board. About 9.30 a.m., I was the dress circle were also occupied. The on board the steamer when I saw three mastro who appeared before it, but the WoShingshop to the steamer. I saw upwards least while fondling the instrument over which he has attained such complete mas-And under the influence of his wonderful himself, and showed as much interest and almost as much enthusiasm as if theatre had been filled in every part. describe with accuracy the fidelity and intensity with which M. Remenyi last night interpreted as wide a range of feeling ne it is possible to find in one man is a task we would rather not attempt. Every shade of feeling and emotion, from tragic pathos to fantastic fun, was pourtrayed with a realism which showed how perfect is the sympathy which exists between the player and his instrument. It is not the supreme command over the technicalities of violin playing, though that is indeed marvellous, which creates the wonder and admiration of the listener; it is the power to impress sentiment and action by sound wherein lies the charm, the absorbing attraction, Remenyi's playing. To fully appreciate this power, of course, it is not only no. cessary to listen intently to the music, but also to watch the face of the player and

him. One who succeeds in doing this will

will not be found difficult to do. M. Re-

menyi's personal appearance and demeanour

have been so aptly and accurately described

gins to doubt whether it is the man that

made the violin and not the violin that

made the man, the imaginary ecclesiastical

mask drops away, and the genius of the

inspired musician flashes from every line of

that remarkable face. This then is the

man who is now among us, and who, if we

mistake not, will yet receive the unanimous

appreciation of the entire community.

Last night his first proformance was

fantasie on Les Hugnenots, and it needed

only a few seconds to show what manner of

fantasie afforded a vivid illustration of his

the introductory portion, the grand tone of

the lower register of the massine's instru-

ment was finely brought out, and the

difficult octave movements and concerted

parts, and, most of all, the production of the

fingeolet tone, equally drew forth the surprise

and admiration of the audience. Indeed be-

fore the entertainment was finished, people

of what seemed impossible as at what

to him could be impossible. In the Hun-

garian Melodisa the violin became almost

alive with the emotional music of his

played with all the melting pathos attached

stirring sounds of the Campbells are comin'

power to interpret thoughts and action.

violinist was before the audience.

find his efforts rewarded tenfold. And it until the police came and arrested them.

THE TRIAD SOCIETY CASES.

by another that we cannot do better than THE LUKONG CASE. quote the description. As he is described In the Police Court this morning the here so he appeared last night :- 'An unpretending, undersized, old man, modestly trial of the alleged rioters and members of dressed in an artist's velvet cost, with loose Secret Society was taken up again. Mr sleeves and bared wrists, round one of which Mitchell-Innes was the presiding Magistrate peeps out a golden filagree bracelet. But the face of the man-that is the study. and he was supported on the bench by Su-Remenyl is a Liszt or a Mozart, or some other old master, who has stepped down into this mundane sphere from a familiar up was that of the lukong Li Afan, who was engraving or canvas. The common remark charged with being a member of the Triad is that Remenyi has an ecclesiastical ap-Society and with participating actively in shop after it was robbed. pearance, and it is difficult to shake off this impression till he takes his beloved instru- unlawful acts arising from his connection ment to his bosom. Then as he bends with the said Society. Prisoner was defendcaresaingly over his instrument, as a lover ed by Mr Wilson, of Messrs Wotton and men were accordingly discharged. After

with the queen of his heart, and as one be. Deacon. Inspector, Mathieson said he had known the defendant for about seven years. . He was at first in the Water Police, in his boat while he was in charge of the Water Police. He was then, mainly through his instrumentality, transferred to the land police. where he was made a detective. had had cause to complain of accused's conduct. Some time ago there were rumors to the effect that he was connected with the

quire into the matter. There had been com- was also burnt. The inside of a pawnshop plaints, he believed, about his endeavouring to | was completely gutted, though the walls extort money. About half past twelve on the still stand. The Shameen steam fire engines 12th just, he laid an information before the were brought out and did excellent service Capt. Superintendent for the arrest of the which is thoroughly appreciated by the prisoner. About 7.35 p.m. on the 11th | Chinese. Some blind singing girls are inst. the report on which this information | said to have been burnt to death, and was based was communicated to him. This member of the Shameen Corps had his was before the Police went to Gough hand injured. Some say the fire originated Street, and after they returned he made in a congee shop, others say in an opium more minute inquiries. The news that | den; others again say it started in a kerosine accused had been to 20 Gough Street in the establishment. All around the wharf is a afternoon was communicated to him that scene of destruction and desolation. The wondered not so much at the performance evening. In pursuance of the warrant fire commenced at 10 o'clock yesterday which he got he went to the prisoner's morning and was burning when the Powan house and arrested him, sending before strived at 2.30 a.m., thus burning for about him Constable Mann and a Chinese inter- seventeen hours. preter. These two he found in the house loved fatherland. An encore was vigorous y when he entered. He went down about demanded, and Auld Robin Gray was 2.30 p.m. on Saturday. He found the to this touching song. Whatever regret defendant and 21 others in his sitting room. may be felt at the maestro's slight depar. The defendant's wife was also present: ture from the correct air is fully atoned for He did not find anything in the house, but by the rich and tender tones he introduced some papers were handed to him. (The pain the place of those which were dropped, pers which were brought into Court, were

Almost imperceptibly, the air glides from the books, the accounts, chops and scheme the touching strains of the ballad to the of the Society). The deposition made by Lo Aluk was then read and put in. It was to the following effect: in which the drones of the bagpipes are -I am a head coolie. I live at 20. Gough intermingled with the tramp of armed men. Street. I am principal person in the house. Chopin's nosturne in E flat was the next item, and musically itwas, perhaps, the finest I rent the ground floor only. Upstairs are thing of the evening. The exquisite melody | family residences. I have been in Hong- countries. That unity is strength and that was lovingly and lingeringly brought out | kong four or five years. I have seen the The valse from Delibes ballet music 'Sylvia' prisoner before. I know his name, it is Li was also delicately rendered, but we should have liked to have heard the second portion | Society. On 11th June, about 5 p.m., he test of experience. The rise of the T'sun of the valse. Ave Maria, by Schubert, was came to my house and said: Would you given as an excert, and the selemn tones of like to be a member of the Triad Society! the siz were fraught with deep, religious for You are a head coolie and you should join Tour. The last item on the programme was the Society. There are several thousand Nos. 21 and 24 from Paganini's famous 24 members. I replied that I would not. He studies, and in this the great mastery of M. I then asked me for \$25. I said. Where can Remenyl over technical effects was appa. I get so much money? I have not got valuable lessons to serve for their guidance disregarded. Buying has proceeded since Guild itself direct. But as the Guild its the Empire. The time has certainly come fent. Every possible method of using bow it. He replied: If you do not want in the present and near future. The reign- the opening of the season as if the Crop almost omnipotent, it will be found hard to for some such action. When the Chinese and fingers was amployed, and the conclud. to join never mind, I will send some men at ling dynasty of Chius has seen the empire were neither large nor early. Now, as re- kick against the picks. The Council of that ing effects were bewildering, and beffie de | six o'clock to set your house upside down brought into close relations with the Great | gards the size of the Crop. There is already | institution are not without a sense of huscription. Again an encore was demanded, I said I have no money it is no use for you powers of the West. Embassies are inter- a visible excess of between five and six mour. On the occasion of some recent fiscal policy, it is time for the people to and the appeal was courtequaly an | con. to disturb my house.' He then went away | changed and treaties are concluded with million pounds in the First Crop, made up | illicit weighing, the offending firm was not genially complied with, Liberty Hymn, This convertation took place in the cook foreign nations. It becomes of increase of 80,000 half-chests Han. litely presented with a brand new Faircomposed by M. Remenyl in New York on lolf. There was no other person in the cost ing Importance for China not to over kow, and 30,000 half-chests Kinking, bank's scale, and a quiet hint not to do it. England should be glad to bear of this

Poople say he looks like an Admiral Il s'est the evening stopped, the audience broke men came to my house, three of them armed toristics dec., eminently fitted to be the ing from? frotte avec tant d'amiranz that it is only to forth into vociferous applause and cheered with swords and some of them armed with allies of China, whilst with others China

Signorina Marchetti, an old favourite with | them and came into my house. One of them The respective merits of Russia, Jupan, Hongkong audiences, was in capital voice cut the man Wong Sz Hop, one of the men Germany, America, France, and England and delighted the audience with her charm- who was in the house when the prisoner are canvassed, and the question is asked Somnambula, The Last Rose of Sum- employment. I saw him cut. I was in lought China to form a league? mor,' a cavatina from 'Ernqui,' and the the cookhouse washing my face when ing the most effectively rendered.

musician of considerable ability, and a street and came and made the report. Wong to them what the mulberry leaf is to the brilliant executant in pianoforte playing. Sz Hop tried to run into the cookhouse, silkworm. The Russians are constantly William Tell' were most artistic, and he me on the buttocks with a bamboo. Three do by seizing on the countries adjoining testofully interpreted Liezt's Rhapsodie men armed with swords removed three (No. 6.) His accompaniment to the vocal' boxes of mine into the street, where they and violin solos were characterised by taste | were broken open with bamboos. In these a pair of leggings, &c. When the boxes

To-night, another performance will be in silver money and \$5.70 in ten cont pieces, given, when a new programme will be gone

THE RECENT RIOTS.

Lum A Tin, a trader of Luk Fun, was charged with assaulting a certain Chinese constable on the 11th instant. The case came before Mr Mitchell-Innes at the Police Court this morning and was adjourned till Monday. The following deposition made by Hui Tak Lung was put in. gives a good idea of how the first riot of Friday occurred.

Hui Tak Lung said—I am an employe in nese brokers. I know Li Hung Mi. I have known him for more than a year. I am night, and partly, perhaps, to a certain on the 11th inst, I left the Kwong Tai Soi a Chinchin man When defendant came to my house he said his name was Li with a friend named Hui Tak to go on board the steamer for Singapore. came in I was on the ground floor and he asked me to go to the top floor. I was sitting on a bed on the ground floor when Li Fun entered. There are six beds. I was sitting on the one nearest the staircase and the men were sitting on the ground. There was one man sitting on the floor taking his rice. When Li Fun came in I house was scarcely worthy of the great sampans coming from opposite the Kwong offered him some tea and he sat down. I am a head coolie, and when some of the chair-coulies are sick I carry a chair myself. size of the audience with M. Remenyi seems of ten men to each boat with a lot of bam-When I am on business I do not wear shoes. to be a matter of profound indifference, at boo poles. The boats came alongside the but I sometimes dress in silk at night. steamer and some of the men came on I do not know the Hoi Luk Kwai Kung Su board. I saw two of them with swords and none of my friends have spoken to me which they put up their backs. One about it. I have never been to it. 1 do tery, and which he seems to love so deeply. of the men with the swords was not know anybody of the name of Tung Lum Tin. He belongs to the Ho Ling shop Ayau. I did not believe that Li Fun in Koum U street. He said to the other would upset my shop although he said so, playing the house seemed to become as in- men stop, I will go up on board and see and I consequently did not lodge informadifferent to the numbers present as he was seven or eight men on board the steamer. tion with the Police. I thought it strange Then Lum Tin left the 7 or 8 men with that a policeman should extort money Ma Moon (the Po Leung-kok detective) on from me. I have been four or five years the board and Lum Tin himself went back to in Hongkong and have not seen such the P. & O Wharf. Then I got a sampan things. I have been for three years in myself and followed to the P. & O. Wharf Gough Street. Before the men entered my where I landed. The three boats landed house I did not hear crackers fired. I know off the Salt Fish Lum and each man had a | Wo Muk. He lives about eight houses bamboo like those in the Police Court from me on the same side of the street. He in his hand. I landed and watched these men. asked me to join the Triad Society, but I allies. The lukong on duty at the Praya stopped | refused. He gambles and is a bad man. them and asked them why they carried I had no quarrel with him and there is no poles and tried to arrest them. They then | ill feeling between us. beat the lukong (who blew his whistle.) : The witness was cross-examined at great They drove him into the water. Some length, and some corroborative evidence more lukongs with a detective in plain having been given the case was adjourned friend by Li Hung Chang. In the quarrel clothes came and those, with the assistance | till Friday afternoon. of the Punti coolies at the P. & O. wharf. drove Lum Tin and his coolies away and they ran some into the Kwong Wo Shing shop and others to the Ho Ling shop. Lum Tin went into the Ho Ling. These men got into the two shops they ran up- fended. stairs and began to throw firewood at those also, if possible, to move en rapport with

being members of the Triad Society were men also had revolvers but only one was | brought before Mr. Mitchell Innes this fired off and and no one hurt. I saw Lum | afternoon. Dr Ho Kai, instructed by Mr Tin with the sword in his hand. When the Caldwell, proscouted, and Mr. Wilson de-The first witness called was the shop- na's allies. below. These men remained in the houses man. Lo Aluk, whose house was broken t

THE GOUGH STREET RIOTERS.

the disturbance in Gough Street and with

The fourteen men charged with creating

boxes were four five-dollar notes, six dollars

were being removed, I cropt out and went

queues tied up in knots and some of them

had their queues over their left shoulders.

I had not seen the prisoner before the 11th

of June. I know his name because I ask-

Fun and he was a detective. When

me to join the Triad Society.

ed him to tell it to me. No one else asked

sailants arrested. He said that the 1st. 2nd and 5th prisoners gave the cuts. These three had swords. The 8th dethe lights with a bamboo. The 4th, 7th, 8th. 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th, had bamboos. The 1st, 2nd and 5th, took two boxes out into the street and smashed them up and the others took them away. One box belonged to himperintendent Deane. The first case taken | self and the other to his fokhi. He identified all the men as having been there except the 3rd, 13th and 14th. The 3rd and 13th were his friends and had come to see his

> Dr Ho Kai said he had no objection to the liberation of the 3rd and 13th, and these some farther evidence, which was mainly corroborative, the case was adjourned.

THE FIRE AT CANTON. Our Canton correspondent, under date of Wednesday evening, gives the following

additional particulars of the fire :-Yesterday a terrific fire broke out near the lower steamer wharf and consumed over Triad Society, and witness took steps to en- 100 houses and shops. Part of the wharf

> ALLIANCES, OFFENSIVE AND DEFENSIVE—FROM A UHINESE POINT OF VIEW.

(Translated for the 'China Mail.') On the subject of alliances with foreign nations, Pang Yuk Lun and Wong Chi Chun tell us that the ancient policy of China was to make war on the states bordering on her own territory whilst she maintained friendly relations with more distant in dissension weakness lies are truths which Fun. He is a head member of the Triad Chins has not unfrequently brought to the dynasty and the history of the Three States

are noteworthy instances. These who control the destinies of the the same time it appears almost incredible | the Chamber of Commerce's right to notify | attitude towards opium will be publicly empire will find in the events of the past the occasion of the semi-centennial celebra- loft when this conversation took place look the fact that the various for test.

tion and dedicated to the Americans, being There were three other persons connected eigh nations with whom these relations. Is this over-production or not? Is this on the list. The Gulli also hid its little minted. The meters involutes of this with my home down stairs who resided in are established differ widely from each the disease which a segacious merchant at long been in contemplation by grand but simple brought out the house, Wong Sz Hop. Chin & Mg and other. Some of the Western powers are, a recent meeting of the Clamber of Com- the Tabes.

t has been my good fortune to meet with contagious effect, and when the hero of Lo, Ahop. At 6.45 p.m. more than 100 by: position, influence, national characteristics merce complained that the trade was sufferbamboos. The three men with knives drew should by no means ally herself.

> The Russians are a untion both treachwaltz song from 'Il Baccio,' the latter be- Wong Sz Hop was cut. He was sit- erous and powerful. By continued encroachments they have possessed themselves ting in a bed in the main room. Then Mr Isidoro Luckstone proved himself a I crept up through the front door in the of a large part of Europe. That continent is His arrangement and performance of As I was going into the street a man struck bent on acquiring territory, and this they

> > their own borders. The boundary line between Chinese and the last days of June. Russian territory is not less, if all its windings be followed than 5000 miles. Nor will Russia rest satisfied with having taken from China several dependencies. The In 'make' it may be relegated to the 'Can wider the area over which she acquires to the station. Police were sent back with sway the more does her ambition declare me, and I pointed out two houses where itself. She has long been watching for attempt this sesson to place practically the confer the degree honoris cause upon the some of the men were arrested. It was not signs of weakness on the part of China, that whole of the first crop in front of buyers be- centenarian. One report put the wife's daylight when the 100 men came. I could taking adventage of these and relying on fore the end of the month, but this has her own military prowess, she may carry been done at the expense of the 2nd and not tell how the men were dressed because the lights were blown out by the men with her arms over the present boundary line 3rd 'packs,' whose 'uncouth' appearance. bambuos. Some of the mon had their between the two countries. From the na- despite a redeeming set-off in cup, affords tions which may hereafter be allied with sure evidence of a too hasty toilet. China, Russia is perforce excluded:

is boastful, proud, and quarrelsome. He when it fell, or was picked, off the trees. has seized on the Low-chewislands, and the Tho result of all this is that there is a large Cross-examined—I have not had any busi- Formosan question has given rise to new supply of good and fine ten at a much lower an' emigration agency in West Point, at all hazards to follow in the wake of wer grades are mostly so unsightly that any she advances. China cannot therefore ex- ease. pect to ally herself with Japan.

At the present juncture one cause alone prevents Japan from making war on China. country is engaged in a strife requiring all but certainly developed. the forces she can bring into the field.

held in check by Germany. The Germans have shown to the world would include all the finest chops of Keewhat great advantages follow from united | mun, and their tendency is not to improve. action on the part of several states. With- The Taiping flavour comes through a Keequered the Danes, the Austrians, and the French. Germany is still increasing her army and developing her great military resources. Her object is to humble the pride of Russia and bring about a lasting peace. In all our trade relations the closest har- | cheap mony has been found to subsist between the subjects of Germany and those of China. | better. The two great classes of Hankow German statesmen travelling in China have teas require little comment. Oopacks were become acquainted with the doctrines of a more than average yield—the Tongsans Confucius, and have learned to regard these | being unusually good. doctrines with the greatest respect since they have witnessed the results of that not a whit better than last season—and the transforming influence which the teaching of | Canfas : well there will be many a shipper the sages exerts. We say therefore that | who will have reason to remember the 86 Germany is fitted to become one of China's | Canfa.

which has long had friendly intercourse with of teamen to clear out; partly from the The ex-president of America, Grant, was London

received and entertained as a guest and between China and Japan for the possession took the side of China, affirming that as repart of the Liew-Chew islands to China.

into. The evidence which he gave was eighty years ago under Napoleon. He was a 15 a picul, it is not difficult to understand Secular literature; (4) Literature needed cious metals interse, especially in the case almost, entirely identical with the evid- universal conqueror till his power was bro- that the high cost was more imaginary than for the Church; (5) Literature ne ded for of trade between gold-using and silver-using ence given above. The only supplementary ken by England. No more than nine years real. evidence was the identification of the as- since the nephew of Napoleon suffered de- Never, perhaps, has there been a season feat at the hands of Germany. France is when such cruel cutting has been in vogue. once more prosperous and flourishing. and the sooner this upsatisfactory state of Russis has always been auxious to form a things comes to au end, the better for fendant came into the house and knocked out league with France, but France is kept back everyone all round. A continuation will from fear of Germany and from jealousy of lead to unutterable grief, somewhere. the Russian power.

At present, from causes connected with the promulgation of the French religion in China, and the war in Annam. France and China have been set at variance. But seeing that China is anxious to restrain Russia from entering her borders, she should seek to ally herself with France as a means of protection against Russia.

The English are celebrated as a mercan tile nation and take the lead in inventions and manufactures. Their country is the chief power in Europe. England is inclined to under-rate and despise the military strength of Russia. At the same time she looks with envy and distrust on the growing power of the latter country and the large accessions of territory acquired by Russia. Since time ago England refused to allow Russis to anchor her war vessels in the Black Sea and fear of England still proves a check on Russian ambition.

Japan has boundless confidence in England and respect for the institutions of that country. English intercourse and influence have led to a change in the calendar, the national dress, and the laws and customs of Japan. In nothing will Japan act contrary to the will of England, and by this means she is assured of England's aid and support The English were formerly enemies of China; but there is now peace between the

Their purpose is trade and commerce and not the acquisition of territory. In her relations with China England has acted of tonnage this season, and there has been with some sense of justice and in accordance with the conditions of the treaty. Moreover England has declared, in the tons of tea have left this port for London. event of trouble arising between China and the Conference has quietly transand foreign powers, that each country. having treaties with China shall endeavour to settle the difficulties. Some reliance may perhaps be placed on | boats with space for 15,800 tons. the

It is, however, of the first importance rentrates. So the opposition was evidentthat China, in consideration of the attitude ly worth driving out of the field, as the of Japan and Russia, should ally herself Conference has grossed at least £50,000 had a sederunt with the ladies in regard to with Germany and with America.

THE TEA SEASON AT HANKOW. June 5. The hurly burly's dens,
The battle's lost and won,

and the damage has been done so far as the tea season of 1886 is concerned; for the present passivity, standing as it does in the strongest contrast with the excitement and action of the last week in May, is the sure and certain sign that the war is o'er. In the attempt to give some slight re: view of the situation one is sure to be fallen upon his partner, and perhaps no betconfronted with the old adage that it is fer successor could be found. At the same wear some distinguishing bedge, like the easy to be a general after the battle.' At | time there are those who do not recognize Good Templars at home, by which their that facts, bard, stubborn, obtrusive facts the new appointment, deeming that that known. It this scheme be taken up heartishould apparently have been so persistently notification should have come from the Tea

If tea should pay after all, the retrogressive cry of over-production should be stifled

for ever. Many sound natives, on the other hand, declare and in some cases back that declaration with their dollars, that

Be these juggling ficula no more believed,
That palter with us in a double sense;
That keep the word of promise to our car,
And break it to our hope. On this, as least, we safely many rely,

A full demand will not exceed supply.

o bear a strain, it will be when an unusually early opening and large and hurried shipmonts will make it hot for dealers in In respect of the quality of the crop, it is universally admitted here that it is superior

in 'cup' to that of the last few sessons

If the home trade were ever called upon

The Chinese have made the successful judge of great experience says :-- The in the house and a wife of years and dis- appointed to inquire into the depression of The Japanese are an under-sized race, full leaf (of 2nd and 3rd packs, of course) has cretion, sure to look after her youthful son trade and industry, and sent to a number of crafts and prejudice. Their Emperor come to market much in the same state as now entering into the holy estate of of persons who are considered likely to

king teas is the absonce of the objection able tarry flavour: though there are those that is fear of Russia. Should Japan attack | tea tasters, whose opinions generally carry China, Russia may seize the favourable mo- weight, who believe that in canister this ment to attack Japan when the last-named | flavour, is, in many instances, being slowly

The Ningchows have throughout been Russia on her part would come to an open | good. The fine teas were really fine, and breach with China were it not that she is the lower grades have waltzed away from all competition from other districts. A dozen in the past 20 years this nation has con- mun as unmistakeably as Shuntain denotes its presence in an Oanfa.

> The Kutoans are poor, over-ripe and mouldy, le temps l'éprouvera. Head chops of Hohow have been in favour, as they were above the average and

The less said about the common ones the

The Oonahm teas, taken all round, were

The tendency of prices all along has been America is a great commercial nation downward; partly from the intense anxiety gruesome nature of the telegrams from

It may be desirable here to attempt to remove the impression which has obtained evening, at the chapel of the A. B. C. F. amongst the uninitiated that the early purof the Lew-Chew islands ex-president Grant | chases of fine and finest tess were made | China Tract Society was held, when development of the credit system or other at excessive rates, some 10 to 15% higher two elaborate and interesting papers were similar means of economizing the use of garded the merits of the question at issue | than usual. This impression is altogether between the two countries China was in the | a wrong one; for the unexceptional pracright and Japan in the wrong. He after- tice has been so to shorten prices that the wards endeavoured, though unsuccessfully, laying down nest has really been moderate to induce the Emperor of Japan to give up in the extreme. The 'original contract' and the final ship off prices have borne America should be numbered among Chi- | no relation whatever, to one another. And when it is remembered that cuts The French nation was great and mighty | have been inflicted varying from Tls. 3 to Tis.

'Diseases, desperate grown
'By desperate appliance are relieved
'Or not at all.'—Cave!

exported this year :-

Tls. 45 a 57 ... 3,272

,, 40 a 45 ... 11.168

35 α 40 ... 30,036

Stock---Hankow teas... 50.176

A glance at the subjoined figures wil show the large amount of high costing tea

To 3rd June, 6th June, 4th June,

5,289

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, 8 a 10 9,50		
781,99	753,061	809,279
rrivals of H'kow tea Kiukiang ,,		nt. 496,594 290,100
	872,386	, 786,692
ments of H'kow tea K'kiang ,,	a 508,230 270,764 ,,	480,488 272,573
	781,994 ,,	753,061
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Townage, etc.—There has been no lack no lack of energy on the part of steamer agents to get rid of it. To date. 40.650 ferred from the pockets of shippers to its own capacions purse no less a sum than £137,375 sterling. There are still four freight on which will be £27,600, at ourmore than it otherwise would have done. their work, but as the meeting was private Politeness, unusual politeness, has charac- and exclusive we have no report to offer of terised the action of steamer agents this it. On the afternoon of Thursday an antiseason, for only one boat left on her circu- opium meeting was held of the Chineso lated date of sailing; all the rest were de- Christians at the Capital in connexion with layed to suit the convenience of shippers all the churches, and was attended by not for which the shippers were not at all a few European missionaries and friends, obliged. Seldom have steamers been so some of whom addressed the meeting in readily full of refusals, which long- Chinese. A committee was formed to draw suffering agents have mistaken for actual up plans for a testotal opium society, and I engagements. Hence the cause of more

Arbitrator. - The mantle of Elijah has again. Meantime they have not that firm movement, and they should give it their

been delightfully cool, and only one wet ation and their adoption by China will both day interrupted the loading of stemmers .- be advanced among the people by the advo-N.-C. D. News Correspondent.

Peking.

The Peking correspondent of the N.- C. D. News, writing on the 31st May, says :- noting that there are now three Hospitals rate, a Master of Arts from Szechuen 106 with the London, Presbyterian and Meyears of age turned up. He was accom- thodist Missions, while the West is entirely panied by his wife, 90 years of age, and neglected. All the missions seem to be in two sons, 80 and 60 respectively. The a fairly prosperous condition. Much atgraduates showed the family every mark of | tention seems to be paid to the education of respect, and they were allowed to wait Chinese girls, and the school premises of upon the aged echolar inside the examina- the methodist Mission are being largely tion stalls. The other students addressed extended. The same is true, though to a him as low fu-tee-old master-which title less extent, perhaps, of the other missions. however he disclaimed, asserting that he Dr Atterbury, of the Presbyterian Mission. was their comrade. No other country, we is erecting a large Hospital, with every presume, could produce a parallel to this. appliance, on a Western model. We wish have not heard whether he was successful. | each and all of these institutions the utmost In all such cases the Emperor is wont to success. age at 119; but this indicates too great a disparity in the ages of the old couple. Chinese wives are usually two years older than their husbands: the idea of the mother-in-law being to secure a useful help been drawn up by the Royal Commission

our residents has been the subject of ridicule | be merely preliminary to a more minute ness with emigration. I have not heard of disputes with China. Japan is determined cost than usual, whilst the medium and lo- among some of your Correspondents. The investigation into the subject; whether by veracity of the writer and the consideration | the Royal Commission itself or by a special I receive chair coolies and Hong coolies Western nations, and in carrying out her po- cup quality they may possess, must be of so many witnesses, both European and Commission appointed ad hoc is, however, into my house and supply them to Chi- licy of imitating foreigners shows herself very heavily handicapped. The character- Chinese, who witnessed it, place the fact of not yet determined. Several of these quesregardless both of means and consequences, istics of the various district teas may be of the cocurrence and the resemblance tions are obviously incapable of being her ambition becoming greater the farther drawn this year with more than ordinary described beyond doubt. Those who did answered except in a very vague manner; not witness the cause of the phenomen- but, as the Commission remark in the Specially noticeable amongst the Kiu- on experienced great difficulty in account- circular accompanying the list, they may. ing for the appearance and persistency of perhaps, help to 'define and limit' the of the illumination. One European called scope of the inquiry. We should rather her friends to see two moons in the heavens have feared, however, that they would tend at one time, mistaking the meteor for a to widen it. There is hardly a single form cloud with luna behind it. Seen from of the currency craze which may not be quite probable that it may have assumed one or other of these questions. There is resemblance to different animals. Some apparently an omission in Question 2, which, have suggested a cloud, a Chinese kite as it stands, admits only of replies relating carrying a lantern, a camel and a weasel. | to alterations in the prices of commodities. ing himself 'Polonius,' his letter was taken hand, to be held to include rents and also to be a joke. The wessel to which it wages, some very important evidence will was not perhaps inaptly compared by the be withheld from the Commission. Chinaman was we presume not a see sell.

A large meeting of the Peking Missionary Association was held at the Presbyterian Mission on the evening of the 25th. gold prices, or (2) in the silver prices, of when a paper by Dr Williamson on the commodities in countries where those metals Preparation of China for Christianity' was are respectively the standards of value? read, and a lively debate ensued. Among the visitors from a distance, of whom there to all commodities, or has it been confined were many called upon to speak. Mr. Bam. to some particular class or classes of comford of your city was a prominent speaker. | modities? and he delivered a racy, humorous speech which was well received. The writer of the paper took the ideal China-the speakers commodities, or of commodities generally. for the most part illustrated the subject are there any circumstances which have from the practical everyday life of the enhanced the value of the metal used as people. The term 'controversy' after lying | the standard ? dormant for many years, was unluckily introduced, but was soon consigned to curred before, and what results did they silence, from which it ought never to be produce? resuscitated. At the present day theological energy is expending itself on new fluctuations which have occurred in recent versions, not on terms. On the following years in the ratio of the precious metals to M.; the anniversary service of the North-Moukden and Tungchow respectively. | set or retard the fall of prices !

nese Literature to Christianity. The prices generally? needed for general circulation. A hearty should appear in the Chinese Recorder. The prices in that country meeting was large and influential. The

business meeting of the Society took place in the afternoon. On the following evening a learned and valuable paper was read by Dr. Edkins, on the Future Attitude of OPIUM-New Patna, cash, 5424 China towards Christianity. He said persecution was likely to decline. He referred to the liberty of residence and the protection afforded in the interior, and to the language and tone of recent decrees; and said that the admission of the right to make converts in the interior will not be withdrawn. He next asserted that much local persecution exists and will likely continue. He referred in proof of this to Shantung and Canton provinces particularly. The itility of the 'Angel' document was dispussed in relation to persecution, and an dverse opinion expressed recarding it in he former province. It is, as is known perhaps, but an adaptation of the French r Roman Catholic proclamation of toleraion to American missionaries. The Chinese doubt its genuineness. The officials in particular, in the interior, are disposed to offer opposition to the recognition of the wleration clauses of the various foreign reaties. Following upon this, the Dr next referred to the prospects of missionary work n Corea and Annam, which he said were more favourable than at any former time. ,, 16,104 His last point was a discussion of con-Kinking , ... 40,016 , 17,527 temporary researches into Chinese history, suggesting resemblances to the persecutions 90,192 ,, 33,632 in the Roman Empire. The paper was also well received, a vote of thanks accorded, and the paper requested to be prepared for publication. The meeting was convened on behalf of the Peking Branch of the Evangelical Alliance. Some discussion ensued, in which the Christian prospects in Corea were principally discussed. Mr Ross, of Moukdan, gave an interesting and most hopeful account of his labours among the Coreans. These people seem to be in a most interesting attitude at present in regard to the Western

> presume also for the establishment of a refuge for the cure of opium-smokers. It is not to be confined to Christians. The members of the society will most probably ly, it will grow and extend all over Government is retiring from its hithertomaintained high moral attitude for a purely take it up and carry it forward as a popular movement. The Anti-Opium Cociety in

support and countenance. Fome form of

them and others interested in this import. Incom-

On the following night, Dr Williamson

The weather throughout the season has ant question. Western religion and civilis-

cacy of this question. On the Sunday completing the week of these religious and benevolent mestings a Sunday School Union took place at the Chapel of the Methodist Mission. Speaking of Christian work, it may be worth In the late examinations for the Docto- at work in the East of the City, connected

> THE ROYAL COMMISSION ON THE DEPRESSION OF TRADE.

The London Times says :- The following questions relating to currency matters have The dragon meteor observed by some of circulation of these questions is intended to different and distant points of view it is introduced and discussed in the reply to From one of your correspondents subscrib. Unless this term is, for the purpose in

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3. Apart from any circumstances which have tended to lower the price of particular

4. Have similar circumstances ever oc-5. To what causes do you assign the

i one another? 6. Are there any indications that the

read by Messrs Ross and Sheffield, of the precious metals, has tended to counter-The subject of the first paper was 7. What circumstances, apart from an the Attitude of Confucianism and that appreciation of the metal used as the standof the second the Adaptation of Chi. ard, have tended to bring ab ut a fall of

essavist touched upon the following six 8. How is trade affected by alterations points : (1) Adapt style to capacity of rea. (1) in the value of the metal used as the ders ; (2) The style of composition ; (3) standard, and (2) in the value of the pre-

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> Quotations Hongsong, June 17. Old , cash, ... 5574 a 560 New Benares, cash ... 5221 cash.... 535 New Malwa, cash 520 Allowance, Taols..... 16/24 Old Maiwa, cash,..... 540/500 Allowance, Taels...... 10 Perman, Oily, cash ... 450/60 Allowance, Taels..... 24 Persian, Paper tied... 500/490 Allowance, Taels 32/48

Exchange. HONGKONG, June 17 Bank, Wire, 3/24

30 days' sight, 4 months' sight. Documentary 4 months sight. Shanghai, demand.... 30 days' sight, private 721 Gold Leaf 994 Ans ... \$31,25

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Do. Minimum over night 80. METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER Barometer 29.76 Temperature Humidity ... Direction of Wind Force Weather Rain

Maximum ... 85

Hongkong, Observatory, June 17, 1886 SUN AND TIDE TABLE FOR

HONGKONG. From The Hongkong Almanack 1 JUNE.

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ORANGE PREPARATIONS FOR WAR.

A BHORT CHAT WITH MR MICHAEL DAVITT. A representative of the Pall Mall Gazette interviewed Mr Michael Davitt on the Omnge preparations for war, and found him scornfully contemptuous of the idea that Ulster would offer any effectual resistance:-

'Leave them alone to us,' he said, 'and we will make short work of those gentry. They are not Irish, they are only English and Scotch who are settled among us, and It is preposterous that they should be allowed to dictate to Irishmen how Ireland should be governed. They have as little claim to ask that Uister should be treated otherwise than as an integral part of Ireland as that Irishmen in Liverpool and Glasgow would have a right to ask that those cities' should be annexed to Ireland.' Ulster, he maintains very strongly, is not a unit by any means in this question, that at 3 p.m. there are only three counties-Armagh, Down, and Antrim-in which the Protest- with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan ants have a majority, and even there it ports. would be perfectly possible to hold demonstrations in favour of Home Rule which address in full; and same will be received would be largely attended. The National at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the party, he declared, would absolutely refuse day previous to sailing. to recognize in any shape or form the claim at Dublin.

The determination of Ulster men to resist | Return Fare. These allowances do not apply Home Rule if necessary by force of arms is to through fares from China and Japan to said to be deepening. One of the oldest Liberal journalists in the north of Ireland, who for nearly an entire generation has destined to ports beyond San Francisco, fought the battle of Gladstonism in Belfast, called at this office to state that although he strongly deprecated any threats of appeals to force, he thought that he would fail in his duty if he did not state that to or Passage, apply to the Agency of the the best of his belief Home Rule could not be enforced in the north of Ireland without provoking armed resistance, and, he added significantly, many of the best people regard such a probability with more than approval. He produced a letter from one of the resident magistrates in Ulster, in which the writer expressed a very serious conviction that a religious war was imminent, the end of which no one could foresee. Already the promonitory symptom, in the shape of an aggravated feeling of bitterness between Protestants and Catholics, was only too observable, and in any case he feared

that riots were inevitable. A Londonderry correspondent says :-The impression gains ground in Ulster that the Government Arms Act contemplates the disarmament of Loyalists in the north. The constabulary have received imperative orders from Mr Morley to furnish before Wednesday the name and address of every person who has purchased arms within the last three years, and otherwise ascertain the possessors of arms. The steamship companies have also been asked to supply the names of consignees of | DJEMNAH, Commandant VAQUIER, weapons from England during the same with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,

An advertisement appeared in the Belfast above places. newspapers on May 11, asking for tenders | · Cargo and Specie will be registered for for 20,000 Suiders in good order, the ritles London as well as for Marseilles, and acto be delivered with bayonets or swords in | cepted in transit through Marseilles for the County Antrim before June 1. Comment- principal places of Europe. ing upon this announcement, the Belfast News Letter says :- 'The men who are to Noon. handle these rifles are ready. It is gratifying to find the premier county coming to p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the front. Other counties will follow, for the 23rd June, 1886. (Parcels are not the men of the north are in earnest. While to be sont on board; they must be left at Mr Gladstone is trying to wheedle the the Agency's Office.) House of Commons into a position hostile to the existing Consitution of the United Kingdom, the Loyalists are adopting means to thwart his wicked proposals. They will Company's Office. not allow him to weaken the power of the Crown and thrust the imperial province out. of the empire. Loyal to the Queen and every member of the reigning family, the manly men of the north will never submit to an Irish Parliament. They have solemnly proclaimed their resolution, and will abide by it, come what may.'

A Dungannon correspondent says :- 'I have it on the most trustworthy authority that steps are being taken by the Orangemen to organise a force to take the field should the Home Rule Bill pass, and that the feelings of the Protestant farmers and working-men are in favour of this course. The Orange Society, on account of its organisation, is taking the matter up, and district and private lodge meetings are being held all over the country. The organisation will ombrace many outside Orange societies, who are prepared to take up arms with their fellow-Loyalists in Tyrone, Armagh, Antrim, Derry, and Down. Promises of assistance come from England, Scotland, and the Colonies. Upwards of

The London correspondent of the Dublin Express says there can be no doubt that in the army, where the loyal Irish element is very strong, from Lord Wolseley downwards, not only to the youngest subaltern, but to the youngest private, there has been an unprecedented agitation since Mr Gladstone developed his policy of repeal and rapine. The passing of the Bill would find the regular army cleared in twenty-four hours of some of the best soldiers who have ever worn the Queen's scarlet. 'There are, at all events, if I am not greatly misinformed, military strategists who are already looking curiously into Irish maps, and look- to through fores from China and Japan to mg keenly into Ulster history.

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Secretary. Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

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Hongkong, June 7, 1886. NOTICE.

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CHINA COAST METEUROLOGICAL register. AT 4 P.M.—JUNE 15.

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The typhoon appears to have passed east. of Formosa, moving northwards. A fresh gale was reported from Manila last night and very threatening weather is reported from Bolinao this morning, probably owing to another typhoon crossing Luzon. The barometer has risen, the temperature is high and the humidity very low except in Shanghai. The weather is fine along the southern coast and overcast in the East.

W. DOBERCK, Government Astronomer. Hongkong Observatory, June 16. 1. Barometer, reduced to 62 degrees Fahren-

and hundredthe. 2. TEMPERATURE, in the shade in degrees Fahrenheit. 8. Humidray, in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being 4. Direction or Wind, to two points.

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowlcong shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked on, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

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Her Britannic Majesty's Ships in the China Squadron.

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Albatrosa	aloop	940	4	840	Commander Chas, Hicks	Foochow
Audacious*	double-screw iron frigate	6010	10	4330	Capt. Robert Hastings Harris	Nagasaki
Champion	corvette	2380	14	2340	Captain A. T. Powlett	Nagasaki
Cleopatra	corvette	2380	14	2610	Captain L. C. Keppel	Nagesaki
Cookchafer	gunboat	465	4	470	LieutCom. H. H. Boteler	Foochow
Constance .	corvetta	2380	14	2590	Capt. Seymour Dacres	Shanghai
Daring	aloop	940	4	920	Commander Davis	Singapore
Eak	gunboat	360	8	840		In reserve
Espoir	gunboat	465	: .4	470	LieutCom. H. R. Adams	Port Hamilton
Firebrand	gunboat	455	4	460	LieutCom. D. L. Dickson	Shanghai
Flying Bish	aloop	940	4	840	Captain J. P. Maclear	Cruising
Heroine	corvette	1420	8	1470	Captain Francis R. Blackburne	Hongkong
Leander	cruiser	3750	10	5000	Captain M. J. Dunlop	Naguaki
Linnet	gun-vessel	756	5	1050	Commander W. Marrack	Nagasaki -
Merlin	gunboat	430	4	430	LieutCom. W. M. Maturin	Hongkong
Midge	gun-vessel	603	4	470	-Commander H. J. Robilliard	Hongkong
Pegasus	sloop	1130	6	970	Act. Com. A. M. Farquhar	Nagaski
Rambler	aloop	830	3	690	Commander W. U. Moore	Chusen Island
Sapphire	corvette	1970	12	2360	Captain R. G. Kinahan	Hongkong
Satellite	cruiser	1420	8	1400	Captain Arthur H. Alington	Hongkong
Solent	torpedo mining launch	150	-			Hongkong
Swift	gun-vessel	756	5 -	1010	Commander A. C. B. Bromley	Shanghai
Tweed	gunboat	360	3	340		In reserve
Victor Emanuel	receiving ship	5157	14		Commodore Morant	Hongkong
Vigilant	paddle despatch-vessel	1000	2	1230	Lieut-Com. P. Hoskyns	Rongkong
Wanderer	gunboat	925	4	750	Captain Orford Churchill	Nagazaki
Wivern	turret-ship	2750	4	1450		Hongkong
Zeph yr	gunboat	438	4	530	Lieut, Com. Chas. K. Hope	Bipgapore

* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Vesey Hamilton, Commander-in-Chief. For H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Where di
Aspic	French gunboat	470	7.4 S		LieutCommander Jonquieres	Salgon
Comète	French gunboat	483	2	·	LieutCommander Noirot	Haiphong
Decres	French cruiser	861			Captain de Montesquon	Yokohama
Duchaffant	French cruiser	1300	6	980	Comdr. Lemeraer Moussanx	Yokohama
Jaguar	French gunboat	200	2		LieutCommander Fouet	Haiphong
Laclocheterie	French cruiser	1994	10	1918	Commander St. Maurice	Nagasaki
La Perouse	French cruiser	2300	15		Capt. Mequet	Saigon
Lutin	French gunboat	470	104	100	Captain Duval	Heiphong
Magon	French cruiser	2400	15		Captain Pusch	Ornising
Manila	Spanish transport	650		-	Luis Bayo y Hernandes Pinron	Hongkong
Marion	U. S. corvette	1900	8	1000	Commander Merzill Miller	Shanghai
Marques del Duero	Spanish gunboat	500		1	Captain Jose Cano Manad	Hongkong
Monocacy	.U. S. alcop	1375	. 10	750	Commander F. J. Higginson	Canton
Morge	Russian gunbeat	400	7	80	Commander Moltsoff	Cores
Nautilus	German gun-vessel	716	4	600	Commander Rötger	Nagazaki
Nautilus	Austrian gun-vessel	570			Captain Charles Spetzler	Shanghai
Omaha	U. S. corvette	2400	12		Capt. Thos. O. Belfridge	Yokohama.
Ossipee	U. S. corvette	1375	7	800	Commander J. J. McGlinsey	Vokobalia (*
Opritchnik	Russian corvetto	1400	8	1-11-11	Captain Hessen	Marila
Palos	U. S. gunboat	808	6	500	Lieut. Com. Thomas Nelson	Jenohuan
Pluvier	French gunboat	480			Lieut. Commander Poidlone	Halphong
Primauguet	French craiser	2200	15		Captain M. Buge	Shelighai
Rapido	Italian cruiser	1458	5		Captain Crayotio	Amor
Razboinik	Russian corvetta	1352	13		Captain Pouschia	AUGUSTE COL
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	539	. 5	Private Tal ia.	Lieut. Com Raphaeld Andrede	Hongston
Roland	French cruiser	2500	15		Ceptain Mayet	
Saofie	French transport	1700	4		Commander W. Month	Surgres
Seavoch	Russian cruiser	1115			Commander Sucinell	Hambor
Bobol	Bussian gunboat	400	7	B0	Commander Boyle	Japan Francisco
Tamega	Portuguese gunboat	500	6		Captati Avila	LONG TO STATE OF THE PARTY OF T
Turenne	French frigate	5881		100 (100 (100 (100 (100 (100 (100 (100	Captair Dupuis	
Vipore	French gunboat	470	11		Light Commander Lapsyrers	
Vladimir Monomach	Russian ironclad	6750	20	- B000	The state of the s	
Vostock	Bussian gunboat					

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Brit. atr. Hangchow Chi. str. Shanghai Kung-pai AMOY.

in port on June 9, 1886. MERCHANT STEAMERS. Chow-chow-foo British Don Juan Spanish British Chateaubriand Brit. bqe. Brit. bge.

MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Helena Loong Wha Br. 3m. sch. Niederhof Ger. sch. Norw. bqe. Norway. Socioo . Brit. bqe. Tetuan Ger.

FOOCHOW. In port on June 5, 1880. MERCHANT STEAMERS. British Benarty Pembrokeshire British Chinese British. Glenengles. London British

MEECHANT BAILING VESSELS. Ger. sch. Francisca Brit. bge. Hedvig SHANGHAI. In port on June 11, 1686.

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British Wuchang MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Anna Bertha Ger. bqo. Brit. bqe. Austria. Brit. bqe. Childwall Ohi. boe. Laid up Chingtah Hopeful Br. 3m.sch. M. L. Cushing Amer. sh. Meridian Biam. sch. Bangkok Hrit. bos Omega : Brit. -bqa. Plymouth Brit. Sermatian Brit. ht. Stalwart Troubadour Ger. Spr. sc.

In port on June 5, 1696 Kozaki Maru Japan, bqo.

YOKOHAMA In port on June 4, 1886. Anglo-Indian Brit bos Brit. bqe. Brit. b. Brit L. G. Burgess Amer. sh. Sophie Triumphant W. B. Flink Amer. sh. Amer. bre.

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